

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Anton Oppel et al.  
Application Number: 10/579,280  
Filing Date: 01/25/2007  
Group Art Unit: 3673  
Examiner: Alyson Marie Merlino  
Title: ELECTRIC HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCE HAVING A  
CHILD SAFETY FEATURE

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT C**

Dear Sir:

This Amendment responds to the Office Action dated February 18, 2010, having a response due date of May 18, 2010. Please charge Deposit Account No. 502786 for any deficiency or overpayment.

Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims**, as reflected in the listing of claims, begin on page 2 of this paper; and

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.